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HANDS OF ARMY (WHICH HAS RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL SUCH PRISONERS) OR TEMPORARILY DETAILED BY SOME OTHER MILITARY OR CIVILIAN

AGENCY.

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PLACED THE HUBBER OF TERRORISTS IN PRISON AT APPROXIMATELY 500, AID THAT CURRENT FIGURE OF 500 SEETS REASONABLE. CONSIDERTING BOTH ARTESTS MADE STRICE APRIL AND RELEASE 60 TERRORIST PRISORES

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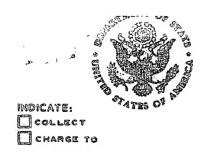
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LINCLIDE HIDIVIDUALS ARRESTED FOR LOW-LEVEL "POLITICAL CRINES"

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DISTRIBUTION LEAFLETS, ETERN ETC.) WHO ARE NOT CHARGED UNDER

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THE HATICHAL SECURITY LAW. ALSO IN THIS CATEGORY WHITE HE

PERSONS ARRESTED AND HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OF POSSIBLE

SUBVERSIVE LIHES ON HASIS LEADS DEVELOPED FROM ARREST AND

LIVTERROCATION OF TERRORISTS. IN BOTH CASES DETENTION LIKELY

BE OF RELATIVELY SHORT DURATION UNLESS INVESTIGATION BEARS OUT

BITTIAL HIDICATIONS OF TERRORIST INVOLVEMENT. HUMBER OF

PRISCIERS IN SUCH SITUATION OBVIOUSLY VARIABLE,

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FIGURE WOULD BE SIGNIFICANTLY STALLER THAN 500.

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